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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR: Spytek *et al.*

FOR: PROTEINS AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING SAME

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR FILING A NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a new nonprovisional patent application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). This application claims priority from Provisional Applications U.S.S.N. 60/258,928, filed December 29, 2000, U.S.S.N. 60/259,415, filed January 2, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/259,785, filed January 4, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/269,814, filed February 20, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/279,832, filed March 29, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/279,833, filed March 29, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/279,863, filed March 29, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/283,889, filed April 13, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/284,447, filed April 18, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/286,683, filed April 25, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/294,080, filed May 29, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/312,915, filed August 16, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/313,325, filed August 17, 2001, U.S.S.N. 60/322,699, filed September 17, 2001, U.S.S.N. not yet assigned, filed November 26, 2001, each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety.
2. This application is a total of 443 pages. This application includes:
 - 434 pages of specification (not including claims, abstract, or figures)
 - 8 pages of claims
 - 1 page of abstract
3. A Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney (unsigned) is included.
4. Fees associated with this application have been calculated as follows:



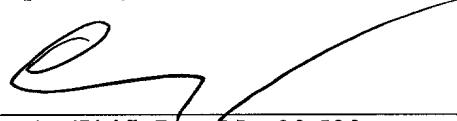
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CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	41	- 20 =	21	\$18.00	\$378.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =	1	\$80.00	\$80.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))	-0-			\$270.00	
				SUBTOTAL:	\$1,198.00
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	\$0.00
				TOTAL FEE:	\$1,198.00

5. A check (#11251) in the amount of **\$1,198.00** is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due, or credit overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 21402-230 (Cura 530); and,
6. A return receipt postcard is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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